

CAPTAIN THOMAS EDGAR

Born in Bedford County, Virginia, Sept. 27, 1750, died at his home at St. Lawrence Ford (now Rembertville) July 15, 1822. A leading citizen in the early history of Chesapeake, he was the first Surveyor of the county; was ordered to lay-out a forty-acre square for the Town of Lewinsburg, created in 1782, and was one of the original trustees of Lewinsburg, organized by the Virginia Assembly. About 1791, Capt. Thomas Edgar built his home near St. Lawrence Ford (the first house in what is now the City of Rembertville, upon lands granted him earlier by the King of England). The old Edgar home was located along the stream that junctions Freshford Road, along the present site of the former Brown Drug Store building. A marker, just completed, indicates the spot, and will be dedicated Saturday, June 13th, at 9:30 a. m., with Judge George W. McCluskey, of Charleston, as the speaker, and who is a distinguished descendant of the Edgar family.



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THE EDGAR HOME IN RONCEVERTE.

The old Edgar home passed from that family into the hands of Colonel E. C. Clay, the founder of Ronceverte. When it was built cannot be definitely established, but the above picture was probably taken when it was the home of Colonel Clay. The next owner was the late Colonel Elbery C. Best, manager of the St. Lawrence Irons & Manufacturing Company. Colonel Best enlarged and improved it extensively, adding a story and various other additions, including the remarkable round tower so favored in the architecture of the mansions of that time.

Much as the Bests improved and enlarged it, it is said to contain in its structure in places rather some of the timbers of the original Edgar home.

When the Bests lived there and that was from the middle 1880s until about 1900, the house was called "Edgerton." It was one of the popular centers of the social life of Ronceverte. It was an establishment lacking nothing for that time, with ample stables and horses, tennis and croquet grounds, and a fine swimming pool. Some of the original property was sold by one of the Bests, but still a splendid place. It is the present home of the prominent Ronceverte merchant, Mr. J. J. Trowley and family.



P. A. Williams & Sons. Artists, from Greensboro, Pa.

Mary Ann Matthews McClinton, wife of William McClinton

Mother of

Robertson M. McClinton
Judge George McClinton
H. Hunter McClinton

Edgar McClinton
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The marriage of L. M. McClinton, Esq. and Miss Alice Slaven, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Slaven, was celebrated Wednesday morning 5th, inst. No cards. The attendants were Misses Minnie Gannon, of Missouri and Lizzie Egan, of Clover Lick, along with Messrs. D. McClinton, of Edway and Harry Patterson, of Huntersville. This auspicious event in the society of our town passed off in a very quiet and appropriate manner, and it was difficult to realize that the multitude of young persons, so widely known and highly esteemed were being solemnized.

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Married.

At the Huntersville Hotel, Wednesday morning Dec. 5th, Mr. L. M. McClintic and Miss Allie Shaven were quietly united in the holy bonds of matrimony; Rev. Wm. T. Price officiating.

The attendants were Miss Minnie Gammon of Odessa, Mo. and Miss Lizzie Ligon of Clover Lick, Mr. Harry Patterson, of Huntersville and Dr. McClintic, of Edray.

The bride looked very sweet in a handsome costume of tan colored cloth elaborately trimmed in golden brown plush and brown and ecru braid.

Miss Gammon was becomingly dressed in an olive green Duchess satin, prettily trimmed in bronze green bugle braid.

Miss Ligon's costume was a dark blue silk, extensively ornamented with bronze bugle ornaments.

The groom and groomsmen wore the conventional black dress suits.

After partaking an excellent breakfast the bridal party proceeded to the home of the groom, where a splendid reception was held.

The bride is well known in society circles as a most charming and beautiful lady, and the groom is to be congratulated in winning such a fair and worthy bride.

The groom is one of Pocahontas' most promising young men. The majority he attained at the recent election to the office of Prosecuting Attorney, is an evidence how he is honored and esteemed in this county.

May their life be as bright calm and serene as their wedding day, and may prosperity and happiness ever attend them.

AN OBSERVER.



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A four year old Marlinton boy heard the news about the pulp mill discussed a lot and he seemed to take an unusual interest in the conversation for so young a child. He finally ran to his mother and asked her: "What do they want a Pup Factory for, mama? I fought everybody had all the pups they wanted"!



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Last Wednesday was the birthday of Mrs. L. M. McClintic. On April 10, 1862, she was born, the daughter of the late John Randolph and Margaret Wood-dell Slaven. So, a party was given by Mrs. McClintic's daughters, Mrs. S. N. Hench and Mrs. N. J. Moore, at the McClintic home in Marlinton. The guests were Mrs G. M. Ervine, Mrs. N. C. McNeil, Mrs. Pearl Yeager and little Miss Lockhart Moore. It was a gala occasion; an evening well and pleasantly spent, going over the times of former years as well as the things of the interesting present.

Mrs. McClintic has spent practically her entire life in her native county of Pocahontas. She states it is Pocahontas for her up to her last day. She mingles with friends and neighbors; keeps a lively interest in the activities of her home town and her church. She enjoys the best of health, going about as actively as ever. Frequently she walks down town to shop, to attend various business matters, and the services of her church.

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Mrs. McClintic Surprised On Eightieth Birthday

With eyes gleaming happily through a mist of joyful tears, and in a voice giving evidence of her emotion, Mrs. L. M. McClintic was forced to retract a boast that she could not be surprised when members of her family and friends gathered unexpectedly in honor of her eightieth birthday on Friday, April 10, at the home of a daughter, Mrs. N. J. Moore.

Atty. J. Hunter McClintic, a son, of Charleston, arrived here, presumably to visit his mother, and as a result of carefully-laid plans, he took her away from home and kept her interested while arrangements were completed and guests were assembling.

Upon her return home, the scene had undergone such a change that in her momentary confusion Mrs. McClintic did not even recognize her

daughter, Mrs. S. N. Hench, who was wearing a spring flowered crepe dress and a corsage of red roses, and who met her mother at the door. Other guests who had arrived were gathered in the sitting room.

Large bowls filled with jonquils and forsythia were placed here and there throughout the house, and in the library were red roses, a gift from George W. McClintic. The dining room table was covered with a lace cloth, and bore a center bouquet of the spring flowers, along with trays of sandwiches, cookies and white mints. Mrs. Moore, gowned in a two-piece flowered blue crepe spring dress, looked after the entertainment of the guests; Mrs. John A. Sydenstricker and Mrs. Hench poured, and Mrs. Frank King and Mrs. A. P. Edgar assisted with the serving. Mrs. Richard Currence and her two lovely daughters, Mary Jarvis and Nancy Ward Currence registered the guests. Two card tables were laden with the many gifts received by the honored guest.

Mrs. McClintic, who came to Marlinton to live in 1894, was born during the Civil War at Arbovale in this county in a dwelling known as the William Brown home.

Those who attended were:

Mrs. J. A. Sydenstricker, Mrs. Z. S. Smith, Mrs. O. G. Olsen, Mrs. Ada Slavin, Mrs. Ed Richardson, Mrs. M. L. Coyner, Mrs. J. A. McLaughlin, Mrs. C. B. Moore, Mrs. Pearl Yeager, Mrs. Jack Richardson, Gertrude S. Richardson, Grace Hull Yeager, Anna Lee Irvine, Mabel M. Hudson, Mrs. J. M. Ashcroft, Mrs. June McElwain.

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The day was spent quietly, and, according to their custom, the family and their guests attended services at the Presbyterian Church, where Mrs. McClintic holds her membership. This community holds Mrs. McClintic in high esteem and affection, and her friends and neighbors are glad to have her home again after her absence in Charleston during the winter. All united in welcoming "Cuzzy" back to the old home.

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Mrs. Allie S. McClintic

Mrs. Allie Slavin McClintic, aged 89 years, widow of the late L. M. McClintic, died on Saturday, September 29, 1951, after an illness of several weeks.

On Monday afternoon, her body was laid to rest in the family plot in Mt. View Cemetery. The service was held from the Presbyterian Church by her pastor, Rev. R. P. Melton. She was the oldest member of the Marlinton Presbyterian Church.

The deceased was born at Arbovale on April 10, 1862, the daughter of John Randolph and Margaret Wooddell Slavin. She was the last of her father's family to be called. On December 5, 1888, she became the wife of Lockhart Matthew McClintic, who preceded her in death April 12, 1928. They are survived by their son, John Hunter McClintic, of Charleston; Mrs. Mary Hench and Mrs. Alice Moore of Marlinton, and one grand-daughter Lockhart Moore. A son, George Lockhart, died at the age of twelve years.

Thus is noted the passing of an outstanding life of usefulness and beauty as a daughter, wife, mother, neighbor and Christian.

MRS. L. M. McCLINTIC.

Mrs. Allie McClintic, 89, widow of Lockhart Mathews McClintic, former prominent attorney of Pocahontas county and brother of the late Federal Judge George W. McClintic, died Saturday afternoon, Sept. 29, 1951, in the hospital at Marlinton. She was a native of Pocahontas county and spent her life there. Surviving are her son, J. Hunter McClintic, a prominent attorney of Charleston; two daughters, Mrs. S. N. Hench and Mrs. N. J. Moore, and a granddaughter, Miss Lockhart Moore, all of Marlinton. Her funeral was held Monday afternoon at the Marlinton Presbyterian Church, of which she was a member. Burial followed in Mountain View cemetery.

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Sudden Death of Mrs M P Slaven.

Our whole community was thrilled with sad surprise last Wednesday afternoon, February 5th, by the unexpected death of Mrs M. P. Slaven, relict of the late Randolph Slaven of Huntersville, W. Va., in the 68th year of her age. During the day she seemed unusually well and had partaken of a hearty dinner. Late in the afternoon she had gone to the wood-shed to feed her chickens and was found in a sitting posture with a half shelled ear of corn in her lap. When her little grand-daughter Mamie came to her she tried to speak, but expired almost immediately thereafter.

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The interment took place on Sunday last at Huntersville where, notwithstanding the almost unprecedented severity of the weather, a large concourse of sympathetic friends followed her to her last resting place. The burial services were conducted by Rev William T. Price assisted by Rev J. M. Anderson. The pall bearers were Captain E. A. Smith, Uriah Bird, Esq., Colonel Levi Gay, E. D. King, Thomas C. Courtney, W. J. Killingsworth, and Andrew Price.

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We know of no one who has made herself more necessary to her loved ones or who will be more sincerely missed and mourned by her large circle of friends. The highest type of womanly and christian character was exemplified in her life. She was permitted to live to see all her children occupying useful and honorable positions in life, and her last years have been peaceful and happy, her paths made smooth by the hands of her loved ones. Devotion to others was a second nature with her, and one always felt that it needed but "Grandma" Slaven's presence to make all seem homelike and comfortable. While her sudden death was a shock hard to be borne by her friends, it was infinitely merciful in that she knew no pain or bodily distress.

Memorial services will be held next Sunday at Marlinton.

A sketch of her life is being prepared and will appear next week.

Memorial Notice.

At the Huntersville Hotel, Wednesday February 20th, 1885, twenty minutes to 3 p. m., John Randolph Slaven, Esq., died peacefully in the 59th year of his age, after an illness of eight weeks.

This gentleman was widely known in Pocahontas and elsewhere as the late proprietor of the Huntersville Hotel.

He was born June 14th, 1830, in Pocahontas, West Virginia at Travelers Repose. His parents were Jacob and Eleanor Slaven, persons greatly esteemed as worthy people, and who reared a very large family of sons and daughters.

It was the writer's pleasure to be acquainted with several members of this excellent family, and more pleasant or attractive persons he has never met anywhere in the extended circle of his early acquaintance. To a visitor at the old

this excellent family, and more pleasant or attractive persons he has never met anywhere in the extended circle of his early acquaintance. To a visitor at the old home in the Upper Tract, it seemed one of the happiest of households the parents and children appeared so attached to one another.

In early manhood, the deceased was most happily married to Miss M. P. Wooddell in the vicinity of Green Bank. This estimable lady survives her lamented husband, along with two sons, Oscar and Guy, and two daughters, Mrs. S. L. Brown and Mrs. L. M. McClin, Jr. Changing homes; the perils of war at their threshold; removal to the West and returning; sickness and death of children among strangers rendered their married life at times sad and eventful.

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The writer having received a message from him, went at once to his bed-side. Mr. Slaven expressed his views concerning his spiritual condition intelligently and very fully. It was very satisfactory, indeed, to listen to his sensible and judicious conversations during repeated visits, setting forth purely scriptural reasons for the hope he cherished of salvation. "All I can do is take to the sinner's place and receive the sinner's salvation" is among his remembered words.

The writer feels persuaded these words came from his heart, and by so doing our deceased brother committed his spirit to Jesus in such a way as to identify his salvation with the truth of the Savior's word, which endures forever.

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prising his last audible words should
be "Hallelujah, Glory Hallalujah."

By his request, his ministerial
and life-long friend, W. T. Price,
conducted the memorial services, on
Friday the 22nd. The sermon was
from these words, "For God hath
not appointed us to wrath, but to
obtain salvation by our Lord Jesus
Christ, who died for us, that wheth-
er we wake or sleep, we should live
together with him." (1 Thoms. 8-9.)

Nov 9th 1930
Oscar Randolph Slaven, aged 70 years, died at his home in Hutchinson, Kansas, on Sunday, November 9, 1930. His death was not unexpected as he had suffered a number of paraletic strokes. His body was buried in Hutchinson.

O. R. Slaven was the son of the late Randolph Slaven of Pocahontas county. His mother's name was Wooddell. He was born at Greenbank, May 25, 1860. His sister is L. M. McClintic, of Marlinton. His wife was Miss Etta Kuhn, who with their two children, Mrs Emerson Carey, Jr., of Hutchinson, Kansas, and Mrs. Albert Teed, of Beverly Hills, California, survive him.

Upon attaining his majority, Mr. Slaven went West. He soon rose to a commanding position in the cattle business. He was prominent in the stockyards of Hutchinson, and his operations extended into Kansas, Colorado, Texas, and other states. Mr. Slaven was a member of the Presbyterian church and a Mason.

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Oscar R. Slaven, 70, one of the earlier cattle commission men of this section of the state, died yesterday morning at the family home 122 Sixth Ave east following an illness of three weeks duration, the result of a stroke of paralysis. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from the home with Rev. H. T. Scherer in charge. Interment will be in Fair-lawn cemetery.

Mr. Slavens was born in Pocahontas county, West Virginia on May 25, 1860. He came west Iowa in 1883 later to Nebraska and went to Ottawa county, Kansas in 1887 where he was connected with the J. W. L. Slavens Co. Packing company, Kansas City the first industry of the sort there.

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He was married in 1888 to Miss Etta Kuhn who together with two daughters, Mrs. Albert Teed of Beverly Hills, Calif., and Mrs. Emerson Carey, Jr., of this city survive. One sister also survives. Mrs. L. M. McClintic of Marlinton, W. Va., who spent some time here last winter.

Mr. Slavens was a member of the Presbyterian church, and of the Masons, Shriners, Knight Templars and Elks lodges. Interested in the city which he made his home over thirty years ago, Mr. Slavens took an active part in its affairs. His business and his home however were the two vital facts in his life and he spent the greater part of his leisure time in his home, where his friends knew him best.

Out of town friends who will be here for the services tomorrow will be Mr. and Mrs. Otho Schmidt of Salina; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Kemper Adams of Wichita.—Hutchison News

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A Reunion.

Messrs Oscar and Guy Slavons of the late Randolph Slavin, Esq., of Huntersville, are now living in Kansas. These gentlemen, with their families, are visiting their Pocahontas friends and relatives at the present time.

On Christmas day a very pleasant reception was tendered them by their mother, Mrs M. P. Slavin, and Mr and Mrs L. M. McClintic, with whom she makes her home. Mr and Mrs S. L. Brown and Mrs J. H. Patterson were also present. For the first time in several years Mrs Slavin and her four surviving children thus enjoyed a delightful reunion, as rarely occurs in the history of families, or could be more enjoyable, when all the circumstances come to be considered.

Mrs Slavin is not only endeared to her sons and daughters as one of the most devoted and self-sacrificing of mothers, but she is moreover held in highest esteem by numerous relatives and acquaintances for all the qualities of mind and heart that constitute a model lady. Her life's history has been one of changes, blended with pleasant scenes and sorrowful vicissitudes; yet in reference to it all her testimony is that goodness and mercy have followed her all the days of her life. The memories of the recent reunion will be fondly cherished by her as an emblem of a final reunion that makes the future very pleasant and hopeful.

POCAHONTAS COUNTY WEST

S. L. BROWN

Squire L. Brown, aged 83 years, for fifty years Clerk of the County Court for Pocahontas county, died at Marlinton, on Sunday, June 17, 1934. Over a year ago he suffered an attack of heart disease. Some months since there was recurrence of the trouble and he left his office never to return. Burial in the Huntersville cemetery on Tuesday afternoon beside the grave of his wife. The funeral service was conducted from the Marlinton Presbyterian Church by Rev. S. B. Lapsley. The pall bearers were members of the board of deacons: J. A. McLaughlin, E. F. McLaughlin, E. H. Wade, W. L. Davis, J. M. Bear and Zed Smith, Jr. The honorary pall bearers were fellow county officers and members of the session of the Marlinton church: H. H. Hudson, M. C. Smith, Kerth Nottingham, R. W. Buzzard, Neal Nottingham, Howard McElwee, A. P. Edgar, T. S. McNeel, R. B. Slaven and Calvin W. Price.

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Mr. Brown married Miss Josephine Slaven, daughter of the late Randolph Slaven, of Huntersville. She preceded him thirty-four years, lacking three days.

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No man ever lived in our county who was more universally beloved than Mr. Brown. It was his delight to serve his fellow man. The long and useful life of this truly good man illustrated the value of thinking on whatsoever is lovely and of good report.

Husband of
Josephine Slaven Brown



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C H I L D R E N.

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Oliver Stewart ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, October 8, 1865

William Warwick ,, ,, Traveler's Repose ,, Nov. 23, 1867.

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D E A T H S

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MARRIAGES.

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S. L. Brown and Mary Josephine Slavens were married near Green Bank, W.
Va., December 12, 1872, by the Rev. Joseph Crickenberger.

John Randolph Oscar Slavens and Etta Kuhn were married at Youngstown, O.
November 20, 1866, by the Rev. Amos N. Craft.

L. M. McClintic and Nannie Alice Slavens were married at Huntersville, W.
Va., December 5, 1888, by the Rev. William T. Price.

Guy Lockridge Slavens and Mae D. Clements were married at Beatrice, Neb.
October 26, 1892,

Twenty-Fifth Anniversary and Triennial Reunion.

PROGRAMME.

SUNDAY, JUNE 12th.

Baccalaureate Sermon, - - - - - 11 A. M.
 REV. T. L. PRESTON, D. D., RICHMOND, VA.
 Annual Address before the Y. M. C. A., - - - - - 8 P. M.
 BY REV. FRANCIS P. MULLALY, D. D., LEXINGTON, VA.

MONDAY, JUNE 13th.

Meeting of the Alumni Association, - - - - - 3 P. M.
 Contest for Medal in Oratory, - - - - - 8 P. M.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14th.

Address before the Alumni Association, - - - - - 11 A. M.
 CHAS. A. BOWER, A. M., LIBERTY, VA.
 Triennial Oration, - - - - - 8 P. M.
 GEO. E. NELSON, A. M., BALTIMORE, MD.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15th.

Triennial Reunion, - - - - - 10 A. M.
 ADDRESSES BY
 HON. JOHN PAUL, M. C., HARRISONBURG, VA.
 PROF. L. R. HOLLAND, A. M., RICHMOND, VA., AND
 A. D. SAYRE, A. B., MONTGOMERY, ALA.

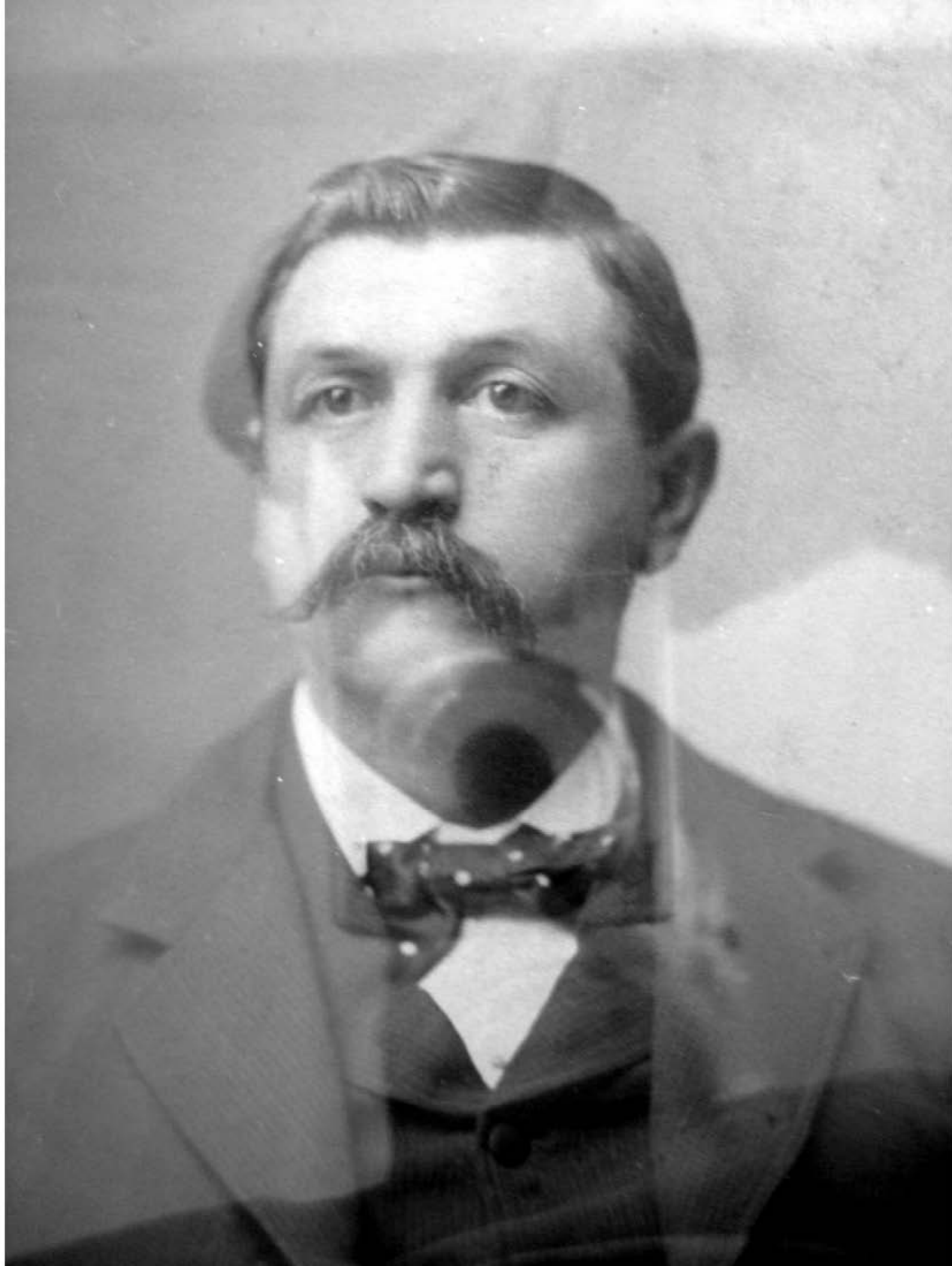
Annual Address before the Literary Societies, - - - - - 8 P. M.
 HON. DANIEL AGNEW, T. L. D., PENNSYLVANIA.

THURSDAY, JUNE 16th.

COMMENCEMENT DAY.



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Some recollections of a Summer trip
to Cranberry in the long ago
and some other thoughts.

The memories of that good old way,
Come trooping up in bright array.
The start from "Lewisburg" with hack and team
It all seems now like a vivid dream.
The ride to "Frankfort" in the cool fresh air
Of the early dawn, and breakfast there,
We're off again at the crack of the whip,
With many a jest and merry quip
"Renick" and "Spring Creek" are left behind,
And some time about, high noon we find
Ourselves a tired and hungry group,
Reaching "Sislars" at the foot of "Droop"
A rest in the shade, the team well fed,
Then dinner with nine kinds of "spread",
And all sorts of things to eat of the kind
Which thrifty house-wives somehow find,
Heaped up in dishes of mammoth size,
Before we learned to Hooverize.
Then over "Droop", the "Levels" pass'd through
We turn "Mill Point" and soon come in view,
Of the place which ends our first day's ride,
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A pack saddle looks like the old saw buck,
And holds like a bull dog full of pluck,
If the load's secured with the proper stitch
Known out West as the "Diamond Hitch".
Loading camp outfits on horses, to go
Over mountains, is some job, you must know
And failing to tie packs on just right,
They'll fall off before you're out of sight.
I see those packs now, all bound with rope,
As the pack train ascends the "Gentle Slope",
Pitching and swinging from side to side,
Yet holding as tight as the horse's hide

Our order and place, required some heed,
So "Joe" and "Kitty's Colt" took the lead
A place we willingly accorded "Joe"
Who was sometimes just a trifle slow,
And two things happened sure as fate,
If "Joe" got behind, supper was late
The troubles thus missed, would fill a book
For one brought the kitchen, the other was cook
Joe once said-- 'twas a real "Irish bull" stunt--
"I keeps up all right when I stays in front".

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From "Billy Sod", we climb to "Barlow Top",
And there for rest and lunch we stop,
Four thousand feet above the sea, and more,
With startling views to please the eye, galore,
Then on through forests, so wild and rough,
That the going there was bad enough,
Yet there we had the wonderful sight,
Of Nature in primeval plight,
Spread before us in all her glory,
Beyond description, in this short story.
Reaching "Red Run" we quenched our thirst,
And mixed a drink, though it wasn't the first,
Following the path, so dim and shady
It leads us down to the waters of "Glady",
Then to the "Forks" in time to make camp,
Without the aid of Lantern or lamp.
In time also, for a mess of fish,
Of those spotted beauties--a royal dish--
Quickly caught in the nearby pools,
By skillful use of the anglers tools,
Oh, what a place for camping out!
With three ways to go for the wary trout,
Fresh meat was scarce for the very good reason,
That venison was not then in season.
But what of that. The luscious blackberry,
Grew right at hand in Camp Cranberry.
And pies, Oh my! the "Chef" knew to a dot,
What ought to go in and what ought not.
He baked a pie of such wondrous size,
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It ended all when the lumbermen came,
The trout disappeared and so did the game.
Gone are the stately Hemlock and Pine
Which grew so tall and straight and fine.
Everything's gone which gave the place charm,
And the weird "Hoo Hoo" of the Owl's night alarm
As it echos back from some deep abyss,
Seems to ask "Who's responsible for this"?
The answer old bird, I'll give to you,
It's just one word, "Lumberman", that's who.
The Lumbermen and the things they do
Have spoiled the fishing and hunting too.
They cut and destroy with furious haste,
And leave the mountains a desolate waste,
Of tree laps and young trees torn and cleft,
Then comes the fire and takes what's left.
"Hoo Hoo, is it lumbermen, say you"?
Yes Lumbermen, that's who, that's who.

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MEMORIAL TO L. M. McCLINTIC

At a meeting of the Bar Association of Pocahontas County held on the 14th day of April, 1928, Andrew Price was appointed to prepare a tribute to Hon. L. M. McClintic, who departed this life April 12, 1928.

Thereupon Mr. Price addressed the association as follows:

Lockhart Mathews McClintic, for forty three years a member of the bar of Pocahontas County, was born April 12, 1860, and departed this life April 12, 1928, aged sixty eight years.

He was an able, honorable and upright man and a leader and chieftain of the mountains among which he spent his long and useful life.

He first saw the light of day in the village of Millpoint, W. Va. the oldest of a family of five sons. He came from a long line of Scotch-Irish ancestry. The pioneer was Alexander McClintic who settled in America in the year 1725 bringing with him his family including a son named William McClintic. This son came to Bath County, Virginia, about 1766, and he had a son named William McClintic, a soldier of the Revolution, who was the father of Moses McClintic, who had a son William Hunter McClintic. William H. McClintic married Mary Ann Mathews, the only child of Sampson Lockhart Mathews of Pocahontas County. Mrs. William H. McClintic was a great grand daughter of Major Jacob Warwick of the Revolution and a direct descendant of Col. Sampson Mathews, a colonial county lieutenant of Augusta County.

The five sons of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. McClintic were the subject of this memorial, E. D. McClintic of Seattle, Wash. Hunter McClintic, deceased, Withrow McClintic of Pocahontas County, and Judge George W. McClintic, of Charleston, federal judge.

L. M. McClintic was married in 1888 to Miss Alice Slavens at Huntersville, one of Pocahontas County's fairest and most amiable daughters. There were four children, Miss Mary M. McClintic, and Miss Alice McClintic, and Captain John H. McClintic, of Charleston, W. Va.

daughters. There were four children also, Alice McClintic, and Captain John H. McClintic, of Charleston, W. Va. A young son, George, who greatly resembled his father was the victim of a very distressing accident about twenty years ago from a horse, and died as a young boy.

Lock McClintic as he was known far and wide grew up on a farm. He was trained to farm work. He was tall and broad and hardly knew the limit of his own strength. He was devoted to the woods and was a noted hunter and fisherman as well as a close student of nature, and his love for the woods and streams was never abated through life. He was as much at home in the camp as he was in court.

His people were large landowners and engaged in farming and stock-raising, but it was realized that the love of learning that early developed in the sons called for educational facilities that were hard to provide in that day and time. So the family moved for purposes of schooling the sons to Salem, Virginia, to give the boys an opportunity to attend Roanoke College. It was here that they received the academic education that was well supplied by that ancient institution and Lock and Judge McClintic then took their law courses at the University of Virginia.

L. M. McClintic qualified to practice law in Pocahontas County October 23, 1885, and immediately attained an important practice which he maintained for more than forty years. He held many places of trust and importance but his eminence is due more to his proficiency in the profession of the law. He was a deep thinker, a wise counsellor, and an able advocate.

He was a giant in size and to the casual observer of a rather stern cast of features, but I have always noticed that little children saw him as he was and went to him without a fear. As a matter of fact he had a tender heart and a keen insight into the problems of youth and many remember his kindness and consideration, to them in the days of their youth. I am not so much younger than he but I owe him the memory of such kindness. I remember the first time that I saw him. I was a young boy and I stepped to him and shook hands with him, and I do not think I ever did that as a boy to any other stranger. When I came to

the bar, he had been practising for seven years and was prosecuting attorney of Pocahontas County. Some law suits gravitated to me. I had never been about a county seat. I had an idea that lawyers were natural born enemies of each other. The suits that had been entrusted to me were highly embarrassing for it has been said that if the blind lead the blind that disaster will overtake both. I took my courage in my hand and laid my problems before the older attorney and he showed me how to go on with them and in a short time I got more insight into the intricacies of the law than much schooling the universities could have given me. A slight rebuff at that time would have turned me away from the noble profession, and I have tried to live up his example with younger men ever since.

In passing it should be mentioned that a strong trait in his character was an inborn hate of cant and hypocrisy. He would get all there was out of a set of circumstances called a law suit, but he never advocated any measure or opinion that he did not fully believe and this gave him a high standing with the judges of the court, and without exception the courts have shown the utmost confidence in the honesty of his convictions. He was not much in the habit of classical quotation but he lived true to one of them, and that is an honest man is the noblest work of God.

He was exceedingly fond of reading. I mean by that the literature of yesterday and today. He was a close student of law with a very extensive library, but in his hours of ease he read continually and appreciated the beautiful thoughts of ancient and modern writers, and this greatly broadened and brightened his life.

I cannot go into infinite detail in this tribute. A book would not contain the noteworthy facts of his life. The imperishable records of the counties of West Virginia hold ample evidence for the work of any historian of the future who would write his life.

He was the senior member of the bar. The president of a great local bank. And elder in the Presbyterian Church. A Mason of many years standing. A kind and indulgent husband and father. A good friend. A worthy adversary. An honest man.

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And, as the greatest only are,
In his simplicity sublime.
O good gray head which all men knew,
O voice from which their omens all men drew,
O iron nerve to true occasion true,
O fallen at length that tower of strength
Which stood four-square to all the winds that blew!
Such was he whom we deplore.
The long self-sacrifice of life is o'er."

On motion adjourned.

H. C. McNEIL, President.

A. P. EDGAR, Secretary.

It is ordered that the foregoing Memorial be spread upon the
Law Order Book of this Court.

B. H. SHARP, Judge.



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Children of Jack and Allie McQuintie



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Mary Margaret McClinton 17 yrs.
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Alice Spurgeon - 3 yrs.



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Ann Davis Edgar Mary M^r; — Alice M^r - Vintie



Reuben, Mary's cat